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Please amend the abstract as follows:

[ [The] ] A process according to the invention for controlling an electronic power component ~~contains a process~~ for piloting [ [the] ] an opening and/or closure of this component. The piloting process ~~comprises~~ includes a plurality of steps for controlling the application of a succession of different commutation voltages on a control electrode of [ [said] ] the electronic power component between [ [the] ] an instant when the piloting process begins and [ [the] ] an instant when either the opening and/or or the closure of the electronic power component is to stop. Passage from one commutation voltage to a successive commutation voltage in this piloting process is automatically effected as soon as a corresponding condition of passage is satisfied. The process ~~comprises~~ the further includes a step ~~consisting in of~~ interrupting [ [said] ] the piloting process and [ [in] ] immediately triggering off a process for safeguarding the integrity of the electronic power component if the component does not react to a commutation voltage [ [in] ] within a predetermined imparted time for the commutation voltage.